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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Junsaku Nakajima et al.

Application No.: 10/670,666

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Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

For: OPTICAL DISC HAVING PITS OF  
DIFFERENT DEPTH FORMED  
THEREIN, OPTICAL DISC DEVICE FOR  
REPRODUCING THE SAME, AND  
METHOD OF REPRODUCTION

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**STATUS INQUIRY**

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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive an Office Action from the Patent and Trademark Office.

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